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John T. Curtin

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1921
Education: Canisius 1946 BS; SUNY (Buffalo) 1949 LLB
Began Service: December 23, 1967
Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Government: United States Attorney, Western District of New York, United States Department of Justice (1961-1967)

Legal Practice: Sole Practitioner (1949-1961)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps Reserve (1942-1945); United States Marine Corps Reserve (1952-1954)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Erie County Bar Association (NY); The New York State Bar Association

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John T. Elfvin

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1917
Education: Cornell 1942 BS; Georgetown 1947 JD
Began Service: January 10, 1975
Appointed By: President Gerald Ford
Political Affiliation: Republican

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable E. Barrett Prettyman, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia (1947-1948)

Chambers of Senior Judge John T. Elfvin *continued*

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of New York, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1955-1958); Member, Board of Supervisors, County of Erie, New York (1962-1965); Member, Buffalo Common Council (1966-1969); United States Attorney, Western District of New York, United States Department of Justice (1972-1975)

Judicial: Justice, New York Supreme Court (1969)

Legal Practice: Associate, Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP (1948-1951); Associate, Dudley, Stowe & Sawyer (1951-1955); Partner, Lansdowne, Horning & Elfvin (1958-1972)

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Michael A. Telesca

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929
Education: Rochester 1952 AB; SUNY (Buffalo) 1955 JD
Began Service: 1982
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Affiliation: Senior Judge (R), Alien Terrorist Removal Court

Judicial: Judge, Surrogate Court, Monroe County (1973-1982)

Legal Practice: Partner, Lamb, Webster, Walz & Telesca (1957-1973)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps (1955-1957)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The American Inns of Court; American Judicature Society; The Justinian Society of Jurists; Monroe County Bar Association (NY); The New York State Bar Association

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Hugh B. Scott

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Niagara 1971 BA; SUNY (Buffalo) 1974 JD
Began Service: June 1995
Term Expires: June 2011

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Magistrate Judge

Education: San Diego 1963 JD

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Leslie G. Foschio

Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Buffalo 1962 BA; SUNY (Buffalo) 1965 LLB
Began Service: February 1, 1991
Term Expires: January 31, 2008
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Academic: Lecturer, Law School, State University of New York (1966-1968); Associate Professor and Assistant Dean, Notre Dame Law School (1969-1975); Lecturer, Law School, State University of New York (1978-1980); Lecturer, Law School, State University of New York (2006)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable William B. Lawless, New York Supreme Court (1965)

Corporate: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary, Barrister Information Systems Corporation (1983-1991)

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, County of Erie, New York (1966-1969); Corporation Counsel, City of Buffalo, New York (1975-1978); Commissioner, Department of Motor Vehicles, State of New York (1981-1983)

Legal Practice: Buffalo Partner, Cohen Swados Wright Hanifin Bradford & Brett (1978-1981)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; Bar Association of Erie County; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; New York Bar Foundation, The New York State Bar Association

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Jonathan W. Feldman

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1956
Education: Cornell 1978 BA; Syracuse 1981 JD
Began Service: November 1995
Term Expires: November 2011

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Michael A. Telesca, United States District Court for the Western District of New York

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of New York, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice; Federal Public Defender, Western District of New York, United States Department of Justice

Legal Practice: Associate, Harris, Beach & Wilcox; Geraci & Feldman

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H. Kenneth Schroeder, Jr.

Magistrate Judge

Education: Canisius 1958 BS; SUNY (Buffalo) 1961 JD;
Georgetown 1962 LLM
Began Service: June 1, 2000
Term Expires: 2008

Government: Trial Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1962-1963); Special Assistant United States Attorney, District of Columbia, United States Department of Justice (1963); United States Attorney, Western District of New York, United States Department of Justice (1969-1972)

Legal Practice: Trial Attorney and Senior Partner, Hodgson, Russ, Andrews, Woods & Goodyear (1964-2000)

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Marian W. Payson

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1959
Education: Duke 1981 BA; Northwestern 1984 JD
Began Service: April 14, 2003
Term Expires: April 2011

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Association of the Bar of the City of New York; Greater Rochester Association for Women Attorneys; Monroe County Bar Association (NY); The New York State Bar Association

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